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4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
5 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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7 LUISITO PINEDA,

8 Plaintiff,

9 v.

10 GERALD HASSELL, et al.,

11 Defendants.

Case No. 2:14-cv-00346-APG-VCF

ORDER

12 On April 10, 2014, I conducted a hearing on pending motions. Ayrick Talbo was present
13 in court, attempting to represent plaintiff Luisito Pineda. I explained to Mr. Talbo that because he
14 is not a licensed attorney, he is not permitted to represent Mr. Pineda, nor appear on his behalf,
15 nor file pleadings or papers on behalf of Mr. Pineda. *See* Dkt. #26; *see also*, Fed.R.Civ.P. 11(a). I
16 struck from the record two documents that Mr. Talbo filed on behalf of Mr. Pineda. I also
17 dismissed the case without prejudice.

18 Despite my admonition to Mr. Talbo, he has filed additional documents in this case,
19 including an incorrectly-titled "Opposition to Defendant's Representative(s) Response Should Be
20 Stricken, No Due Process and No Jurisdiction/Merit." (Dkt. #38). Defendants moved to strike
21 that document (Dkt. #40), and have requested I issue an Order to Show Cause why sanctions
22 should not be issued (Dkt. #42).

23 Mr. Talbo's filing (Dkt. #38) is in direct violation of my prior order that he cannot
24 participate in this case on behalf of Mr. Pineda. That document is hereby stricken from the
25 record. Mr. Talbo shall not file any further papers in this case. Should Mr. Talbo file any further
26 papers in this case, I will consider contempt sanctions against him, and may refer him to the
27 appropriate authorities for the unauthorized practice of law.
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1 Defendants' motion to strike and for sanctions (Dkt. ##40, 42) is granted in part and
2 denied in part, as set forth above.

3 Dated: June 26, 2014.

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6 ANDREW P. GORDON
7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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